

EDUCATION

The County has budgeted \$54,186,755 or 28.3% of the total budget for education expense. This includes \$32,770,256 for current expenses for the three school districts and Catawba Valley Community College (CVCC) and capital expenses total \$5,785,789. The Debt Service amount for education is \$15,630,710.

Public education is a major responsibility of County government. In recent years, Catawba County has undertaken major initiatives to both support effective education and to secure accountability for the use of educational funding.

